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REFERENCE: EGGA-5657, 7 May 1973

- In line with Reference operational planning, CASUSTAIN/5 was terminated on 28 June 1973.
- 2. To avoid arousing his suspicion that we were aware of his relationship with CAZAMIA, he was told that this action resulted from instructions from our Headquarters to put all our clandestine contacts "on ice". He was told that beginning with the new fiscal year (1 July 1973) we were enjoined until further notice from conducting operational activity. Moreover, the case officer himself was being recalled. We cited fiscal and organizational problems, while expressing the hope that this would be only a temporary situation. CASUSTAIN/5 seemed surprised and quite disappointed. After the initial surprise and over the course of the meeting, he expressed some skepticism as to the real reason for such drastic measures. (Perhaps he suspected his duplicity may have caught up with him.)
- 3. As a sign that this might indeed be a temporary measure, and to make our separation as palatable as possible, CASUSTAIN/5 was paid a bonus of two months salary. We assured him we would contact him as soon as the current restrictions were lifted, but left it clearly on a "don't call us, we'll call you" basis. Despite the unpleasant circumstances, the parting was amicable and friendly.
- 4. CASUSTAIN/5 may indeed suspect that his past has caught up with him. We doubt, however, that his disappointment will provoke any reaction on his part, cast to uccels.

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BKHERALD, Base interests. For one thing, we still exert a certain psychological control over him, not in the least because we left open the possibility — albeit slight — of early recontact. And, in the final analysis, he is aware of his own duplicity and cannot rule out the possibility that we may be aware of it too and could be monitoring the case jointly with CAZAMIA, which in fact is what we will be doing.

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